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This coincided with talk among leaders of the Conservative Party about easing Winston Churchill out of his role as the party's prime policy maker. The leaders were dissatisfied over the party's defeat in a long string of special elections.

Meanwhile, the Communists declared war on the Labor Party, which spurned Communist support in the most recent by-election. A party manifesto said the Communists will put up 100 candidates for the general elections in 1950 and fight re-election of major government leaders.

Reliable informants said nationalization of sugar refining and the water supply are already on a tentative general election platform for the Labor Party in 1950.

The statements were made after a closed two-day meeting of Labor Party leaders and Cabinet officials, including Prime Minister Attlee, at Shanklin on the Isle of Wight.

The informants said the chemical industry "quite possibly" will be added to the program. The British Socialists hope will win a repeat of the landslide victory that brought them to power in 1945.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27 (AP)—The destroyer escort Marsh was badly damaged in a collision with the destroyer Taussig during night maneuvers the night of February 22. Twelfth Naval District headquarters said today.

No one was killed or injured.

The Marsh received an underwater gash in the forward section of her hull. The Navy described the damage as "extensive." There was only slight damage to the Taussig. Both ships now are in the naval shipyard here. Repairs to the Marsh will take a month to six weeks, the Navy said.

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Chicago Tribune Says Clay Will Relinquish Post

CHICAGO, Feb. 27 (AP)—The Chicago Tribune said tonight that it had learned "authoritatively" that Gen. Lucius D. Clay will relinquish command of American forces in Europe by June 30. He will be replaced by Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer or Gen. Mark W. Clark, the dispatch said.

The Tribune story, from Washington, was written by Walter Trohan. It said Gen. Clay, military governor of Germany, may possibly leave within the next 60 days.

Gen. Wedemeyer is deputy chief of staff in charge of plans and operations, and Gen. Clark is commanding the 6th Army with headquarters in San Francisco.

If they force it aside, they can kill it, Tydings reasoned.

The filibuster will start when a motion is made to take up a proposal to change the Senate rules so filibusters can be prevented by limiting debate. The southerners will argue the motion itself.

They say the rules change is a maneuver to help put across the civil rights program. The filibuster is their weapon to defeat the program. And they are prepared to filibuster as long as human endurance permits in order to hold on to the present unlimited right of debate.

Premature Battle Shapes Up. Inevitably, the blistering hot civil rights controversy itself will get into the filibuster. This could plunge the Senate prematurely into an all-out fight over the President's racial legislation.

The proposal to change the rules, he said, is made "by the proponents of the civil rights program" to permit them to end debate and bring the program "to an immediate vote." Under the proposed rules change, debate on any subject could be halted by a two-thirds vote.

While the civil rights program "consists primarily of an anti-lynching bill, an anti-poll tax bill, anti-segregation and the fair employment practices bill," Tydings said, the greatest opposition is focused on the latter. This would seek to prevent discrimination in employment as between races or creeds.

Southerners' "Strategy." If the southerners hold out, the proponents of the civil rights program may have to consent to have it laid aside so that appropriations, national defense and other measures can be acted upon by the Congress, the Maryland Democrat said.

The southern senators hope to bring this condition about.

If they can hold out long enough to force the civil rights program aside, they can defeat consideration of the whole civil rights program.

The possibility of shutting off the filibuster was uncertain.

But Republicans who want to get the question settled frowned on this. Majority Leader Lucas (D-II) has talked of filing a cloture petition after a few days. With enough signatures, this could be presented to Vice President Barkley. He would then have to rule whether cloture (motion of debate) could be invoked on a motion.

Previously presiding officers have held that a filibuster on a motion can't be stopped. Barkley has taken issue with this ruling, but has not indicated how he himself would rule.

Sen. Taft To Offer T-H Amendments

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 (AP)—Sen. Taft (R-Ohio) said today he is "open minded" about the Taft-Hartley labor law and plans to offer several amendments to modify it.

But he held to his previous position that the law is basically sound and he predicted that if Congress considers it "on its merits," the essential provisions will be retained.

Taft expressed his views in a debate with Sen. Douglas (D-II). Both are members of the Senate Labor Committee which has before it an administration bill to repeal the T-H law and substitute the old Wagner Act with some changes.

In today's debate Taft said: "The T-H act has worked. It has strengthened collective bargaining." But Douglas argued: "We need to get away from the punitive spirit of the Taft-Hartley law, most of which is weighed against unions, and return to the spirit of the Wagner Act and free collective bargaining."

Douglas contended that the T-H measure has "greatly weakened the power of labor" at the bargaining table.

In reply to points raised by Douglas, Taft said he is willing to knock out the Taft-Hartley law a section which Douglas called a "strike-breaker" provision. Taft noted that he already has introduced an amendment which would scrap that provision.

The Ohio Senator also said he is willing to write safeguards into the law to make sure that peaceful picketing is permitted.

Labor Secretary Reports

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 (AP)—Secretary of Labor Tobin, in his annual report to Congress today, asked for a 15-point legislative program calling for a stronger Labor Department, a fair employment practices law and control of inflation.

LaVale Firemen Hear Talk By City Attorney

Memorial Service Held At Banquet

Importance of smaller organizations banding together to combat Communist influence was stressed by City Attorney Thomas B. Finan as guest speaker Saturday night at the 18th annual banquet of the LaVale Volunteer Fire Department at the fire hall.

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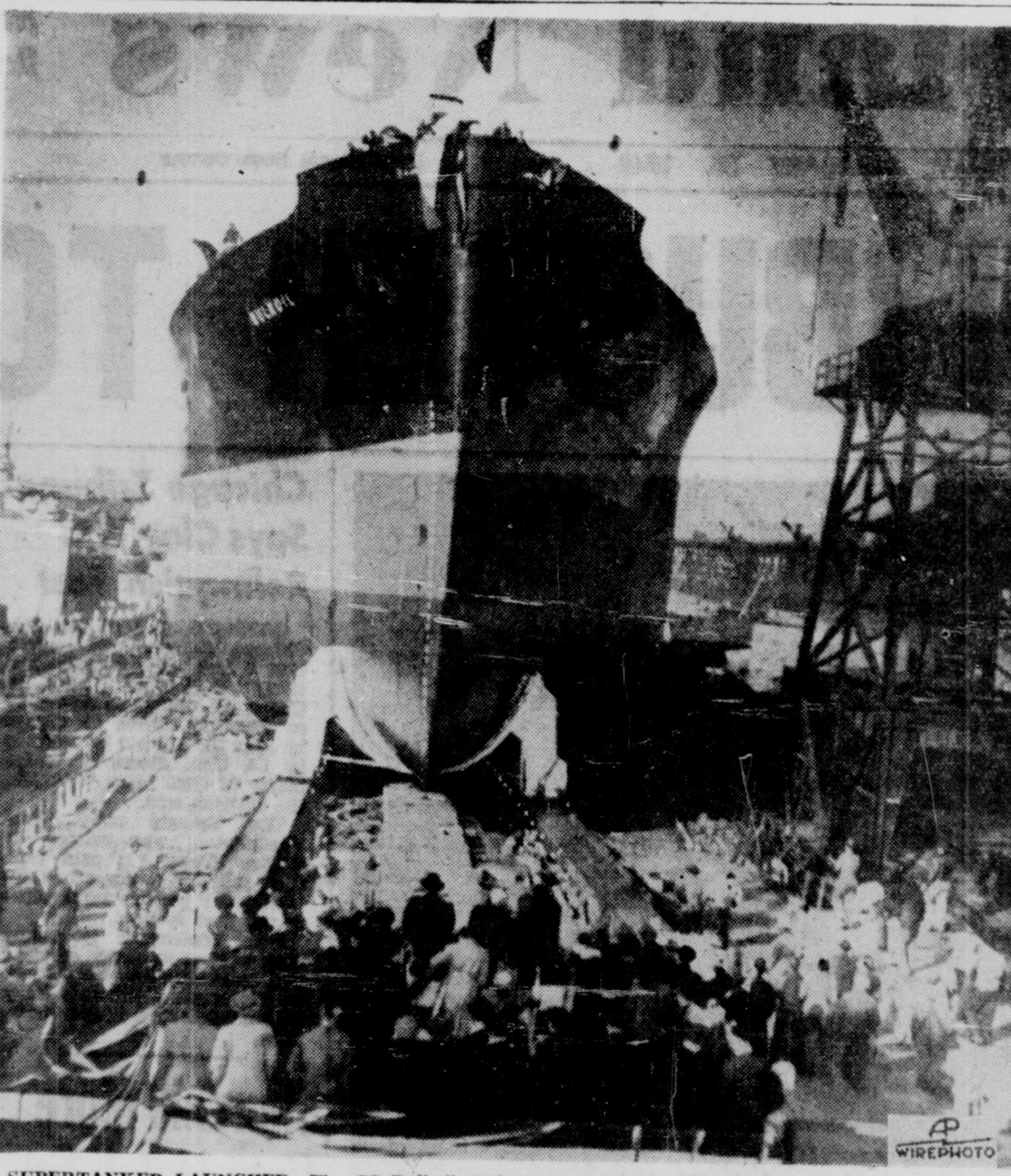
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District American

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Breach of Principle By United States Senators

It has not been revealed whether something more than usual was bothering Senator Claude Pepper, Florida's gift to the United States Senate, when Ira Mosher, former president of the National Association of Manufacturers, was testifying before the Senate Labor committee. Nor has he explained his outrageous statement that "It was the poor people whose sons went to the battlefield, and a lot of manufacturers' sons who stayed at home and got rich."

Mr. Mosher, it happens, lost three members of his family during the war. Later, the Senator tried to ease the situation by stating that he had only made a generalization. This, of course, only served to compound his indiscretion.

By coincidence, on the same day, a naval officer, Capt. Ross A. Dierdoff, was relieved of duty and reprimanded officially for making a derogatory remark about Senator Harley M. Kilgore of West Virginia. According to news accounts, the Senator had made a slurring remark about the Captain's superior officer, and the Captain's rejoinder was that Senator Kilgore was a "politician not fit for the Admiral to wipe his shoes on." To anyone knowing service tradition, it is obvious that the Captain dug his own grave as far as his Navy future was concerned.

The obvious generalization here is that Senators can and do indulge in shocking lapses of propriety, and get away with it. That is not the spirit of congressional immunity, but that is what it has come to mean. The naval officer needs no defense, nor does Mr. Mosher.

But it does seem that the two Senators have left themselves open to charges of an unforgivable breach of principle. It's something that should be viewed with resentment and dismay.

Now Comes Suggestion For Multi-Colored Oleo

Those who feel that this modern world is becoming too drab—it always seems that way in February—owe a vote of thanks to one segment of the dairy farmers. Representatives of one group propose that if oleomargarine must be colored at all it should take some other color than yellow—"say blue or green."

Now there is a brilliant suggestion for brightening up the home. The only trouble is that it is too restricted. Why limit the color of oleo to blue or green? What's the matter with rose, cameo, chartreuse, orchid, fuchsia and other subtle hues which the modern couturiers use to skillfully? In that way the hostess could serve her guests oleo to match her gown or candles.

A new and festive note could be introduced into holiday repasts. By courtesy of Whitaker Chambers we might have pumpkin-colored oleo for Thanksgiving, or peppermint-colored oleo for Christmas, or red-white-and-blue for the Fourth of July. If the ice cream manufacturers can do it, why not the oleo-makers? The dairy farmers themselves might catch on to the idea, instead of limiting their artificial coloring of butter, at certain times of the year, yellow.

Of course, some housewives would prefer the traditional butter-color for oleo. In some states they can buy pre-colored margarine. Why should the Maryland housewife who happens to prefer yellow margarine—hardly for the sake of deceiving her family—go to the trouble of dissolving a pellet of coloring matter? In their fear of undue competition, the dairy farmers are imposing an unfair labor practice on the housewife.

Pennsylvania "Spy-Ring" On Delaware Cigarettes

Pennsylvania has a cigarette tax of four cents a pack. Delaware has none. Hence the Keystone state has the well-known problem of collecting the tax on cigarettes that come in by mail or otherwise.

For mail-order smokers, it has been deemed impractical to try to enforce the section of law that makes it illegal for anyone to possess 200 or more on which state tax has not been paid. The state knows it cannot spread a great network of sleuths to search private homes and offices for contraband.

The Pennsylvania Department of Revenue, however, has been trying to get results by concentrating on the highways leading into the state from Delaware. Thousands of motorists have been stopped by Pennsylvania gendarmes seeking cigarettes that were purchased out of the state. That seems smart, from the viewpoint of the state "revenuers."

But the road-block plan hasn't been working too well, apparently. Perhaps too many voters have been antagonized. Perhaps the authorities figured too much of the state troopers' time was being wasted in this way. How could a cop be sure a driver had cigarettes before nailing him? Couldn't that be done by having spotters in Delaware, watching travelers going into states and coming out with cigarettes?

That's what the Pennsylvania sleuths have been doing. The story is that plainclothes men in cars have been spying on buyers and then radioing to confederates across the line who then stop the cars with great self-assurance. Delaware storekeepers and their customers don't like it.

Trojan Horse Meat

It takes all kinds of bait to catch fish, and the communists have shown a happy faculty for applying this truism to their netting expenditures for converts.

Remember the gesture made by the Soviet commandant of Berlin's Russian zone last fall when he offered a half-pound of sugar to any German in the city's American zone who cared to cross the border and live in the Soviet sphere of enlightenment.

From all indications, few took advantage of the offer. At the time, American occupation officials, who understand that an empty stomach outweighs political beliefs, wondered why more hadn't taken advantage of the offer.

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HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is enclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases.

The Changed Pneumonia Picture

SINCE the advent of the wonder drugs, pneumonia has ceased to be the dangerous threat it was in the past. These remarkable remedies have altered the course of the malady to such an extent that its original description is outmoded. In the medical school, for example, the professor might not be able to find a case to demonstrate to the students with all the trimmings as given in textbooks on medicine. He would be forced to reminisce on a decade or two ago when the victim was desperately ill for ten days before the crisis took place. This left the patient as weak as a pup and weeks passed before the feeling of well being returned. The older physician could tell how helpless he was without a specific remedy and that only two out of three survived the ordeal.

We hope that these days are gone forever. But there is more to pneumonia than this. Since the sulphonamides and penicillin came into being, the character of the disease has changed, a situation that offers one of the greatest medical mysteries of our time. Lobar pneumonia, due to the pneumococcus, was extremely prevalent, accounting for more than 95 per cent of all cases. This is the type that responds so well to penicillin and the sulphonamides. Now we see more virus, or atypical pneumonia, a different breed entirely. This is difficult to explain but it may be that the use of the sulfa for every little indisposition has played a role: by killing off many of the usual offenders, a stronger strain of micro-organisms or viruses may have taken over. This is pure conjecture but within the realm of possibility.

As a result, we now see an atypical form of the disorder, which resembles influenza in its early manifestations. Headache, chilliness, fever, and muscular aches in the chest and abdomen appear and there is an associated cough that is dry and raspy at first and later, more moist. Unlike the lobar variety the white blood count is not elevated and the expectorated material is rarely rusty.

The physician also has his troubles: when he listens to the chest via the stethoscope or taps with his fingers, few of the characteristic findings of pneumonia are present, particularly at first. Unless an X-ray is taken, the true nature of the lung condition often escapes detection until it is obvious to all concerned that the sufferer has more than just a simple cold. In mild cases, an accurate appraisal of the symptoms may not be made unless enough discomfort exists to call for a chest plate. Sometimes the individual walks about with pneumonia, doing his job but not feeling up to par.

Bed rest is advised for any type of pneumonia but the "one a day" large injection of penicillin or the newer tablets have made it possible for many patients to be treated at home instead of in the hospital. This antibiotic is less effective when a virus is responsible but is given usually to ward off secondary invaders that might be complicating the ailment. Fruit juices, cough medicines, croup ketones, and salicylates like aspirin are helpful. The amount of food served depends upon the invalid's appetite; if it is good, he should be permitted to eat. After the temperature drops to normal and the chest manifestations show signs of disappearing, partial activity is advisable. Several weeks may elapse before the individual feels well enough to return to work.

MENINGITIS

M. L. writes: Can a person have chronic meningitis?

Yes, but when this stage is reached, the outlook is not good.

HOLLOW LEGS

Mrs. A. S. writes: I have three children, aged 6, 10 and 14. The girl is a "picky" eater but the boys want to eat constantly. They are always hungry after school as well as about an hour after a big dinner. Then they like to take a large bowl of dry cereal and milk before they go to bed. Now, my mother claims that this is bad for their stomachs, which never have a chance to rest, and will lead to intestinal disturbances later in life. It is true they are subject to intestinal flu, abdominal cramps, and diarrhea but I claim it is due to the fact that they won't dress warmly during the winter time. I want to do right by my children and want to know if I am right in allowing them to snack between meals.

Rephy

Intestinal flu is an infection and is not related to the amount of food consumed. Your mother must not be familiar with the appetite of the growing boy. Some would eat ten times a day if allowed. It is a good rule to make certain that they consume each day the basic foods; anything else they desire is up to them.

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**Baering Down
On The News**

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

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Recent calibrations in Congress stress an astonishing gimmick. Wars are run on luxury taxes.

Indicating that war itself is a luxury. And should be as non-essential as hair tonic on a toupee.

All enemies surrendered in 1945 but the excess tax collector. He may not be the fifth hossman. But he's not no apprentice jockey.

There are certain level-headed congressmen who wish to repeal the luxury taxes. We hope that level-headed doesn't mean flat on top.

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ROCK OF AGES



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

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Says DREW PEARSON

President ever had a military aide, but Truman wanted it, so the Army was delighted to please the man who might some day be in the White House. A few months later and both Harry Truman and Harry Vaughan were there.

The answer is that Vaughan is a roly-poly, easygoing, sometimes blustering sort of person, who is very difficult to dislike, even if you don't appreciate his particular brand of humor—which the President does. In fact, it is largely because of Vaughan's role as court jester plus his shaggy-dog loyalty. He insists on poking his hand into the delicate machinery of government.

Vaughn's Monkey Wrenches

Nobody would begrudge General Vaughan his seat at the right hand of the President, his medals, his limousine, his titles or his flunkies, or his \$12,000 salary, if it were not for the fact that the General is not satisfied to remain a court jester.

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And whenever he does so, he nearly always inserts a monkey wrench.

In 1946, for instance, as Europe faced bleak starvation, Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson asked the American public to forego liquor in favor of bread. The grain allocation for distillers and brewers was cut. Some months later, as hunger abroad increased, the grain allocation for distillers was cut again.

At this point, General Vaughan telephoned the Agriculture Department, got Anderson's assistant, Nathan Koenig, on the wire, and strolled into his office.

"What do you mean changing the distillers' quota again without informing me? I'm the one you are to deal with on that. I had assurances that the quotas are to be changed, and I want this order rescinded immediately."

Vaughn was so vituperative that Koenig got Secretary Anderson, then out of town, on the long-distance phone, and recommended that the cut for distillers be rescinded. General Vaughan, Koenig warned his chief, was in no mood to be trifled with.

"Tell the General," replied Anderson, "that he was not con-

firmed by the Senate to act as Secretary of Agriculture."

Just what General Vaughan's connection was with the liquor industry is not known, though it is known that he remains plentifully supplied by an ex-bootlegger, John Maragon. Maragon's relationship with both Vaughan and Truman is so close that he actually turned up at the Potsdam Conference along with Jimmie Byrnes, Winston Churchill and Premier Stalin.

Vaughn Wears Negro Votes

During the recent election campaign, Vaughan was kept pretty well out of sight. Truman realized that a bemuddled general constantly at his right hand would not go down well with the voters—especially when he was preaching peace. So the General was kept in the background.

However, this did not prevent him from putting in his political oar—and sometimes rocking the boat.

To win Negro votes, he conceived the idea of sending the famous Negro aviator, "Colonel" Hubert Fauntleroy Julian, once Emperor Haile Selassie's one-man Ethiopian air corps, to Europe to inspect Negro troops.

Arriving in Europe with an advance build-up by Vaughan, "Colonel" Julian toured the entire American zone of Germany as the guest of the Army, was given a military aide, and spent an hour with General Clay—one of the busiest men in the world.

Then it was discovered that Julian was using the prestige given him by the White House Military Aide to promote a cigarette deal which would have netted Julian and friends about \$5,000,000.

All of which caused General Clay to send the Black Eagle eagling back to his sponsor, Harry Vaughan, who had lacked the sense to realize that Mr. Truman's civil-rights program was sure to carry the Negro vote regardless of "Colonel" Julian or anyone else.

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In the workings of our daily lives the most important things should be done first. Importance is selective. We don't always know just what is most important, but by doing we learn. The most important thing in life, however, is the building of character. Character is what inspires every important achievement.

On a memorial plaque, presented by the Cherokee Nation, to the memory of Will Rogers, and which anyone may see at his memorial at Claremore, Oklahoma, are engraved these words of the great humorist:

"Live your life, so that whenever you lose you are ahead." Will Rogers lived a life because he was for ever spreading good will. He loved people, and so people loved him all over this globe.

Do something worthy and you will be important. It always works. It isn't even important to be wealthy or famous. But you can be useful, and do useful things if you have wealth and make it serve people's happiness; and if you do important things, as Will Rogers did, you can't help but be famous, and justly so.

The mere great wealth of a Rockefeller or a Ford, in itself is not important, but what that wealth has achieved in blessing mankind through vast employment and in furthering educational and scientific research, is highly important. So much so that its importance cannot be estimated.

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Mrs. Eleanor Morley, past president of the group, and a member of McKinley Chapter, No. 12, Cumberland, will preside at the installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Elizabeth Geis, guide; Mrs. Dara Barringer, guard; Mrs. Mazie Winters, chaplain; Mrs. Edie Wolford, organist, and Myers G. Light, sentinel.

The association is comprised of the following chapters: McKinley No. 12, Cumberland; No. 56, Cumberland; Rebecca Arnold No. 57, Mt. Savage; Martha Washington No. 10, Lonaconing; Barton No. 37, Barton; Bethlehem No. 14, Westport, and Mountain No. 15, this city.



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Mrs. Harry Duckworth, Claysville, was moved from Miners Hospital to Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, Sunday.

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Pallbearers were John Tomlinson, Lester McKenzie, John Smith, Henry Smith, Paul Maurey and Joseph Klosterman. Burial was in Allegany Cemetery.

Among those here for the service were Mrs. Edward Layman and son William, Cumberland; Henry Korcher, McKee's Rocks, Pa., and Elton Horchler, New Castle, Pa.

MRS. ELLEN SEARS

PETERSBURG, W. Va.—Mrs. Ellen Sears, 79, died at her home near here Friday night after a lingering illness of several years.

Mrs. Sears was born here, a daughter of the late John Martin and Hannah Barger Martin, and was first married to John Kepplinger, who died 41 years ago. The following children survive by this marriage: Dewey Kepplinger, Henry Kepplinger, Leon Kepplinger, Curtis Kepplinger and Mrs. Cleo Helmick, Petersburg; Mrs. Susan Davis, Cumberland, Md.; Emory Kepplinger, Keyser; James Kepplinger, Kline and Joseph Kepplinger, Charleston.

She was then married to Harry Sears, who survives her. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Mrs. Mollie Barger, Mrs. Jane Barger and C. C. Martin, Petersburg; Oscar Martin, Morgantown, and Jacob Martin, Washington. A funeral service will be held this afternoon at two o'clock in the Brethren Church here with Rev. P. I. Garber officiating and burial will be in Maple Hill Cemetery. She was a member of Petersburg Brethren Church.

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Westernport Man Weds Miss Bever

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Following the dinner, Mrs. Z. Clyde Kalbaugh, assisted by Mrs. John E. Grindle, installed officers at a candlelight service. Mrs. Kalbaugh gave a brief history of the origin of the candlelight service.

The installed officers include Mrs. George Brode, president; Mrs. Q. J. Baughman, vice president; Mrs. Harry Harris, secretary and Mrs. Carl Bosley, treasurer.

Mrs. Brode appointed the following committee chairmen: Mrs. Joseph Strickler, home management; Mrs. Z. Clyde Kalbaugh, music; Mrs. Q. J. Baughman, art; Mrs. Harry Harris, clothing; Mrs. Clara Wilson, reading; Mrs. Welton Davis, home furnishings; Mrs. Joseph Guy, home beautification; Mrs. Harry Fazakerley, recreation; Mrs. Evan Meese, fair and exhibit; Mrs. John E. Grindle, family life; Mrs. John W. Fisher, international relations; Mrs. Grace Himes, food and nutrition; Mrs. Harry Harris, publicity; Mrs. Raymond W. Reeves, Mrs. William Ravencroft and Mrs. Carl Bosley, membership; Mrs. Robert Myers and Mrs. Brode, Rural Women's Short Course.

Several piano selections were given by Mrs. Harry Pence, with Mrs. John W. Fisher leading group singing.

Mrs. Q. J. Baughman, spoke briefly on the history of the club.

Miss Maude Bean, Cumberland, county home demonstration agent gave an illustrated talk on storage space in the living room.

Pictures and pamphlets relating to this subject were distributed around to the members for observation and discussion.

Three new members were received. They were Mrs. William B. Smith, Sr., Mrs. Robert Grant and Mrs. John Travis.

The dinner was served by members of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Hammon Street School.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Love, Piedmont, March 25.

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Deeds Completed For Library Lot

OAKLAND—Deeds were completed by the Board of County Commissioners and the Board of Library Trustees for the conveyance to Howard A. Turner and wife for 40 feet of the lot immediately adjacent to the former McComas property on Second Street.

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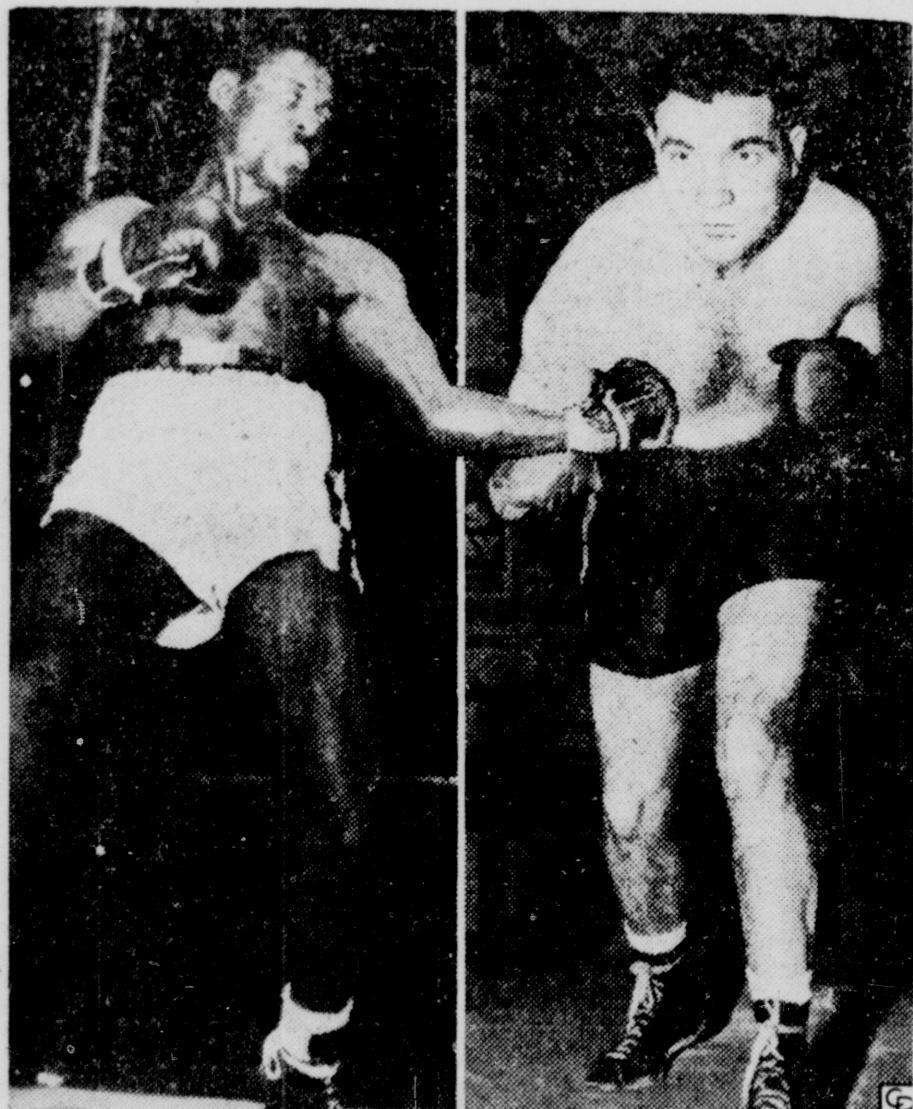
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Parker's better placing and assurance gave him a relatively easy win.

New Mexico has one national park, Carlsbad Caverns, three state parks, 18 Indian pueblos, four American Indian reservations, and many points of scenic and historic interest.

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Heads Foul Shooters With .655 Average

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Charley Lattimer, Fort Hill center, who led Alderton by two points a week ago, now trails by a single point, with 246 markers to his credit, an average of 11.7 per game.

Third place is held by Eddie Landefeld of Allegany who has amassed an even 200 tallies in 21 games.

Alderton not only leads the scorers but he is also the best foul shooter in the city with an average of .655. He has converted 57 of 87 tosses at the charity line.

Lattimer is second with an average of .642 for 58-106.

Players who have scored 15 points or more in games played to date are as follows:

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Hang Up New Mark, Elsie McKee's 268 Is Tourney Record

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The Kelso team of Cumberland rolled 2265 to take first place in the team event and retain its championship. It was good for \$50 and a trophy.

In winning the tourney the Cumberland team bettered the old record for 2194.

Elsie McKee of Cumberland, unattached, and performing with a Pittsburgh team, rolled a 268 in the singles to chalk up the highest score rolled by a woman in the tourney. It was good for \$5 and a trophy. She wound up with 1535, good for \$10 and second money in the all events. In rolling her 268—highest game ever recorded by a woman in the tournament—she started out with a spare, missed a one-pin spare, then hit for 10 consecutive strikes.

The singles title went to Alice Tamm of Ambridge, who rolled 567 two weeks ago. She got \$50 and a trophy. The doubles prize of \$70 went to Marion Hamilton and Boots Pettit of Arlington, Va., whose 1,036 total rolled a week ago stood up during the last week end. Miss Hamilton's 1,558 won the all-events, good for \$15.

The line score of the Cumberland Kelso:

Winnie Holcomb	142	172	132	448
Isabelle Becker	134	112	138	384
Elaine Elkins	145	132	138	415
Blanche Harriman	160	173	148	481
Helen Winebrenner	188	137	165	490
Total	770	785	726	2265

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Scores of members of the team were: Ames Cosgrove 284, Pat Golden 346, Lorraine Fox 344, Mabel Young 294 and Ann Stahl 413.

Kelso's pin spitters chalked up the following scores in the women's doubles: Holcomb and Dayton 437-477; Becker and Harriman 459-482; Elias and Winebrenner 394-406-800.

The Liberty Lanes men's team of Cumberland turned in a score of 1,893 but was out of the money. The scores were: E. Robeson 399, Bill Soether 318, J. O'Brien 423, W. Buckley 406 and F. Orr 345.

In the women's singles the following scores were hung up by members of the Kelso's women's team: Holcomb 442; Harriman 432; Dayton 438; Winebrenner 413; Becker 356 and Elias 371.

The Diamond women's team of Cumberland failed to finish in the money.

The tourney was held at the Palmer Classic Lanes, Carrick, Pa.

Rifle League Will Sponsor Open Match Tomorrow At 7 P.M.

BUCKHANNON, W. Va., Feb. 27 (AP)—Fairmont and Beckley Colleges drew first-round byes today for the West Virginia Basketball Tournament opening here March 7.

The draw was made after four teams, Davis and Elkins, Morris Harvey, Fairmont and West Virginia Tech, were seeded.

D. and E., defending champion in the event, opens the tournament against Bethany. The two teams will play at 9 a.m. Monday, March 7, starting a heavy six-game opening day card which will clean up first round play.

Concord and Alderson-Broaddus tangle in a second morning game at 10:30 a.m., while Wesleyan and Shepherd open an afternoon session at 2 p.m. Fairmont, with a bye, completes the upper bracket.

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Tri-State district basketball teams will engage in six contests tonight.

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Kelso Women's Dux Team Retains Championship

Locals Spill 2,265 Maples In Pittsburgh

Hang Up New Mark, Elsie McKee's 268 Is Tourney Record

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 28 (AP)—Women bowlers of Cumberland, Md., rolling in the closing hours of the tourney, grabbed the spotlight and cash prizes today in the fourth annual tournament of the American Rubberband Duckpin Association.

The Kelso team of Cumberland took first place in the team event and retains its championship. It was good for \$50 and a trophy.

In winning the tourney the Cumberland team bettered the old record for a 2,194.

Elsie McKee of Cumberland, unattached, and performing with a Pittsburgh team, rolled a 268 in the singles to chalk up the highest score rolled by a woman in the tourney. It was good for \$5 and a trophy. She wound up with 1,535, good for \$10 and second money in the all events. In rolling her 268—highest game ever recorded by a woman in the tournament—she started out with a spare, missed a one-pin spare, then hit for 10 consecutive strikes.

The singles title went to Alice Tamm of Ambridge, who rolled 567 two weeks ago. She got \$50 and trophy. The doubles prize of \$70 went to Marion Hamilton and Boots Pettit of Arlington, Va., whose 1,036 total rolled a week ago stood up during the last week end. Miss Hamilton's 1,556 won the all-events good for \$15.

The line score of the Cumberland Kelso:

Winnie Holcomb 142 172 123—445
Beckie Becker 142 172 128—384
Doris Dayton 142 172 142—462
Bettie Harriman 162 173 168—481
Helen Winther 142 172 168—480

Totals 770 768 726—226

The Liberty Lanes women's team of Cumberland finished fourth place in the Class "A" Booster Division by posting a score of 1,681.

Scores of members of the team were: Agnes Coopere 284, Pat Goldin 346, Lorraine Fox 344, Mabel Young 344 and Ann Stahl 312.

Kesey's pin spitters chalked up the following scores in the women's doubles: Holcomb and Dayton 317-457-584; Becker and Harriman 459-382-461; Elias and Winther 384-466-500.

The Liberty Lanes men's team of Cumberland turned in a score of 1,882 but was out of the money. The scores were: E. Robison 392, Bill Soethe 318, J. O'Brien 423, W. Buckley 408 and F. Orr 345.

In the women's singles the following scores were hung up by members of the Kelso's women's team: Holcomb 442, Harriman 438, Dayton 438, Winther 413, Becker 386 and Elias 371.

The Diamond women's team of Cumberland failed to finish in the money.

The tourney was held at the Palmer Classic Lanes, Carrick, Pa.

Catamounts Play Tech In Tourney

Buckhannon Event Will Open March 7

BUCKHANNON, W. Va., Feb. 27 (AP)—Fairmont and Beckley Colleges drew first-round byes today for the West Virginia Basketball Tournament opening here March 7.

The draw was made after four teams, Davis and Elkins, Morris Harvey, Fairmont and West Virginia Tech, were seeded.

D. E. defending champion in the event, opens the tournament against Bethany. The two teams will play at 9 a. m. Monday, March 7, starting a heavy six-game opening day card which will clean up first round play.

Concord and Alderson-Broadus tangle in a second morning game at 10:30 a. m., while Wesleyan and Shepherd open an afternoon session at 2 p. m. Fairmont, with a bye, completes the upper bracket.

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Rifle League Will Sponsor Open Match Tomorrow At 7 P. M.

A .22 caliber pistol match sponsored by the Western Maryland Rifle and Pistol League will be conducted on the Bowmans Addition Range on Tuesday evening, March 1st, beginning at 7:00 p. m. The National Match Course, consisting of 10 rounds each in the slow, timed, and rapid-fire stages, will be shot. Harry Morgan, Official NRA Referee and local pistol expert, will supervise the firing. Time permitting, additional slow fire events will be held. NRA rules will govern.

The Western Maryland League welcomes the public to compete in this event and issues a special invitation to members of the City and Celanese Police and the Maryland State Police.

U. S.-Sweden Game Marked By Fights

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 27 (AP)—Police had to calm down players and spectators at the United States ice hockey team tonight defeated Sweden's Sporting Club, 4-2, in a fist-throwing contest.

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Standings In Potomac Valley Conference

W. L. Pts. Pct.
Ridgeley 5 1 .900
Preston 7 3 .700
Franklin 4 2 .667
Keyser 5 5 .600
Circleville 4 3 .571
Mathias 5 5 .500
Petersburg 10 4 .412
Capon Bridge 3 6 .333
Circleville 2 8 .222
Wardensville 1 1 .125
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He little thought when leaving home That he would never return, That he so soon in death would sleep, And leave us here to mourn.

God knows how much we miss him, How often we wish he were back, Loving thoughts shall ever wander To the spot where he is laid.

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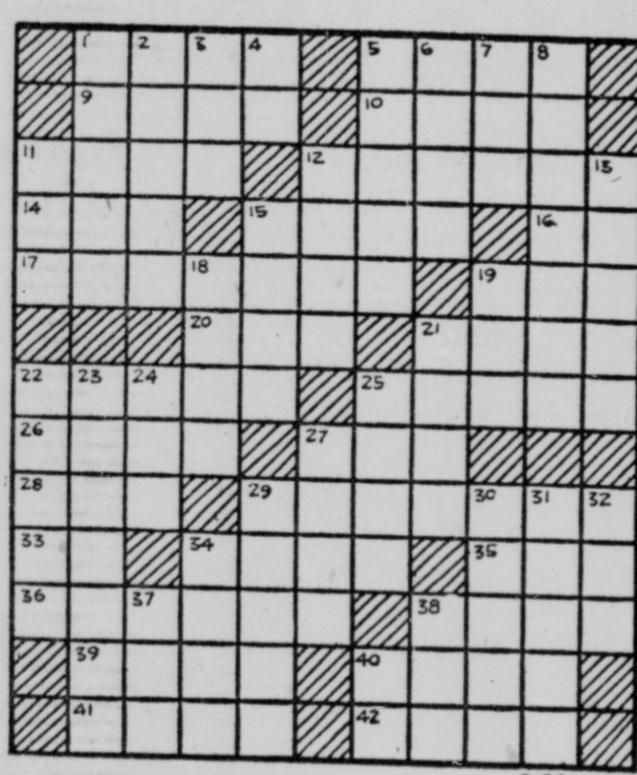
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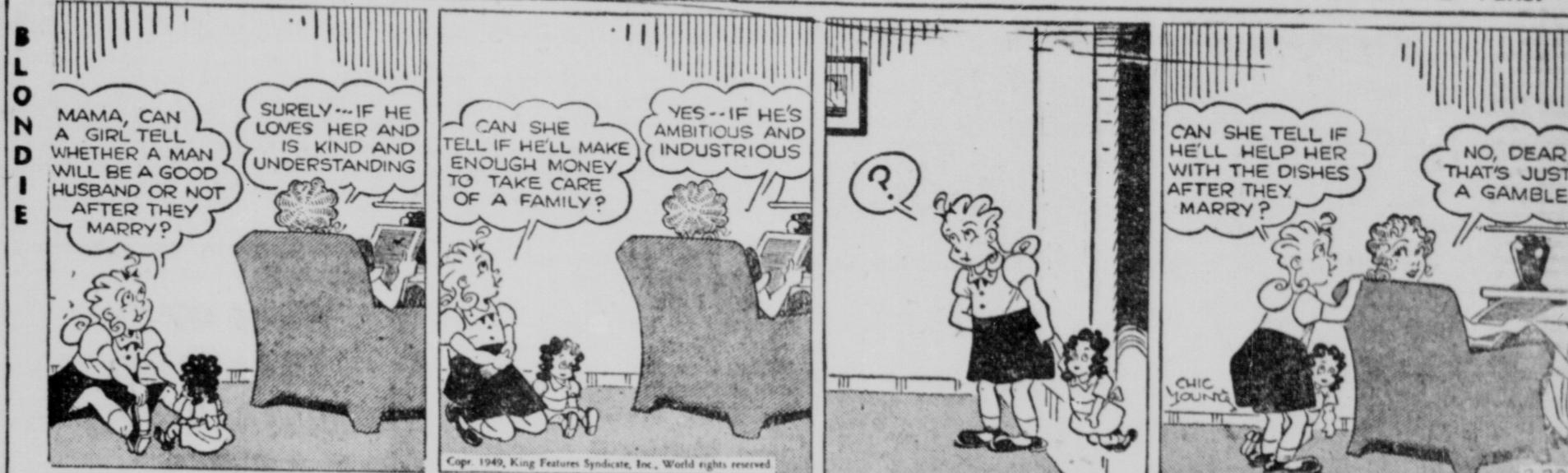
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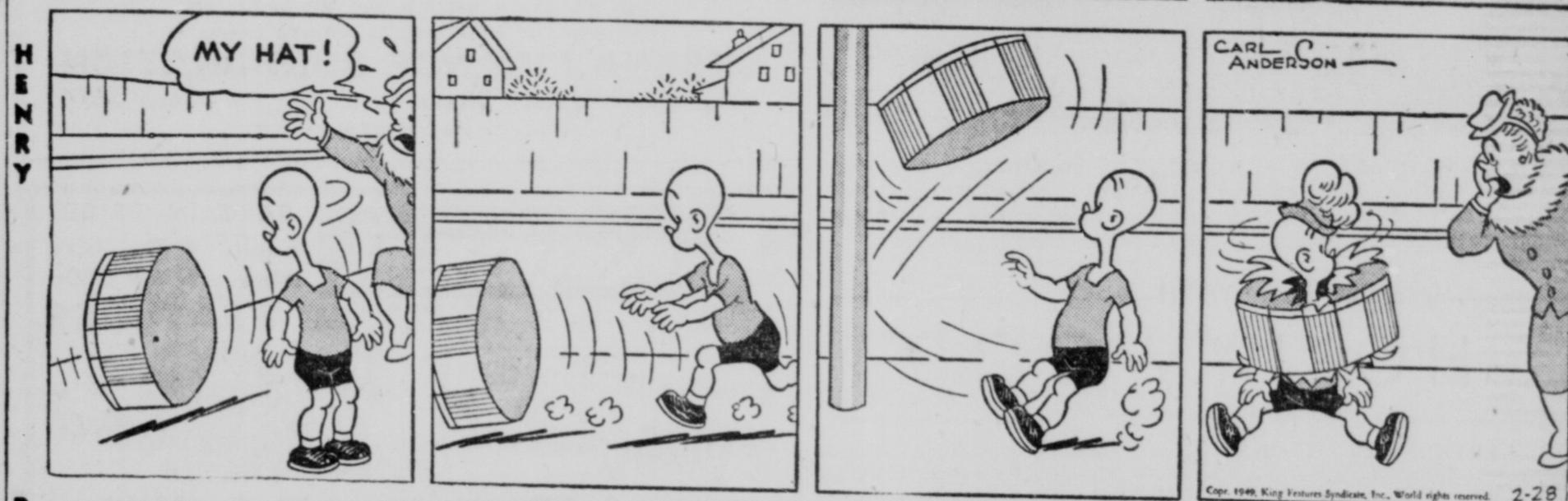
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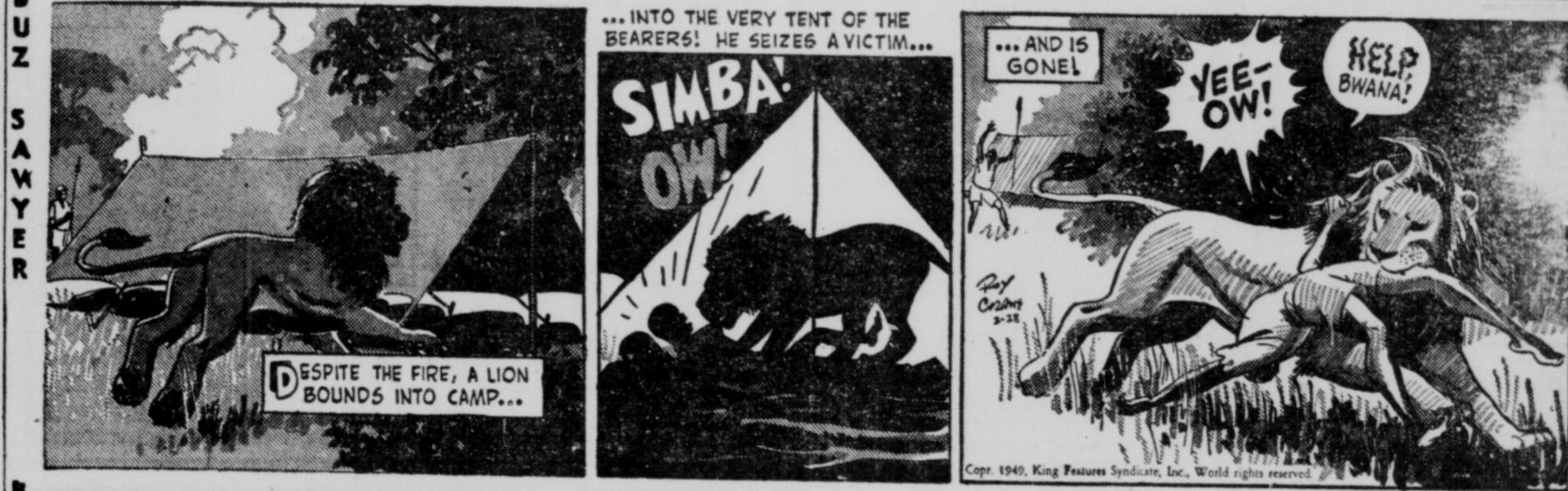
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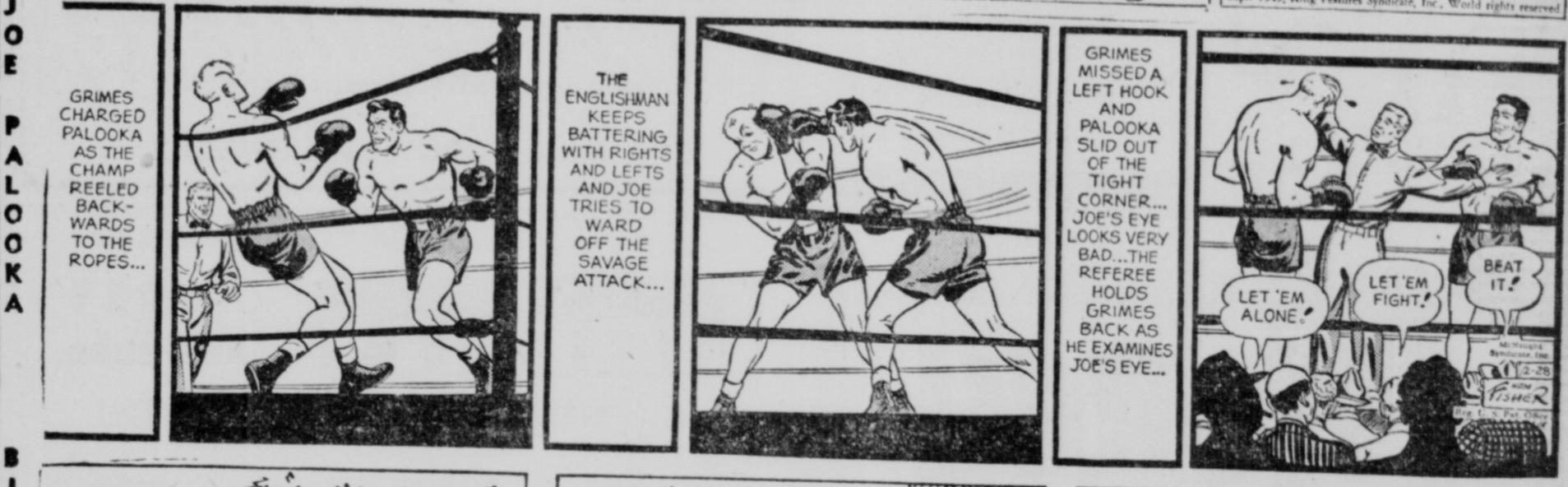
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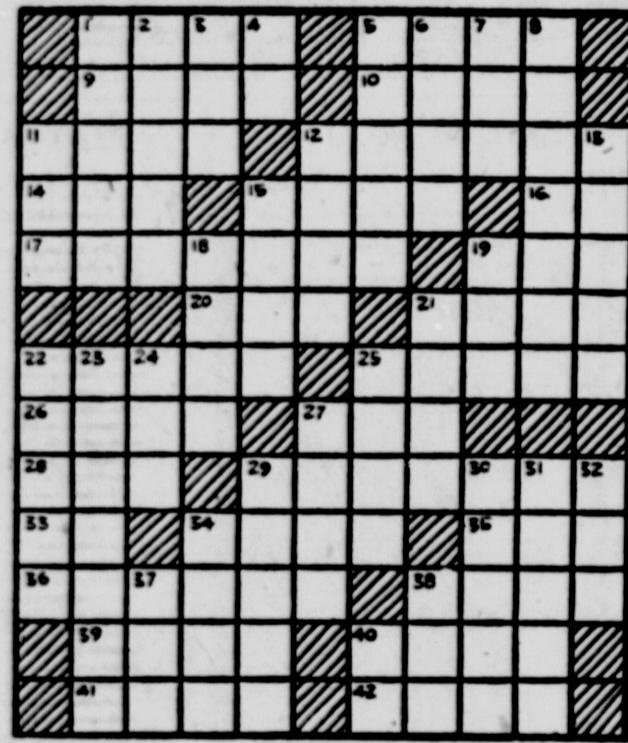
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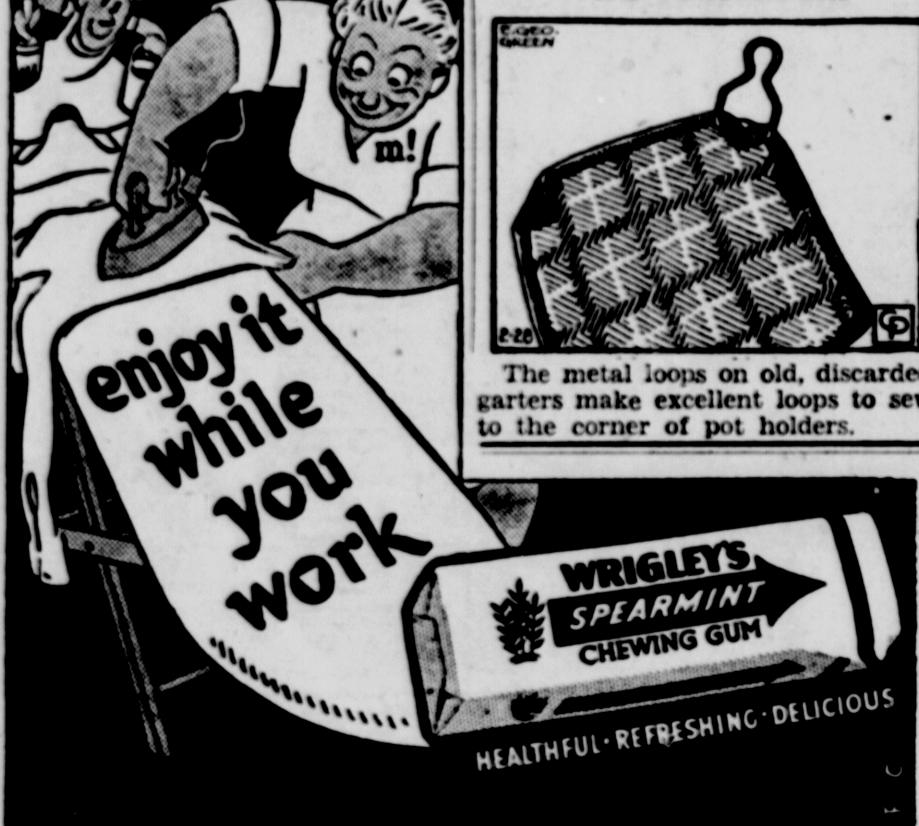
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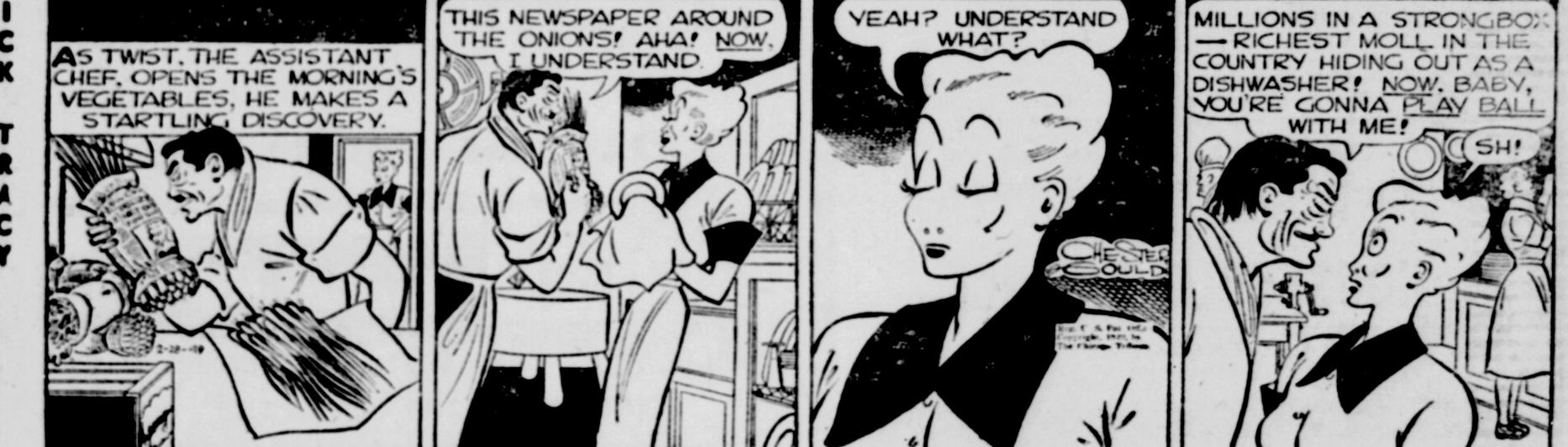
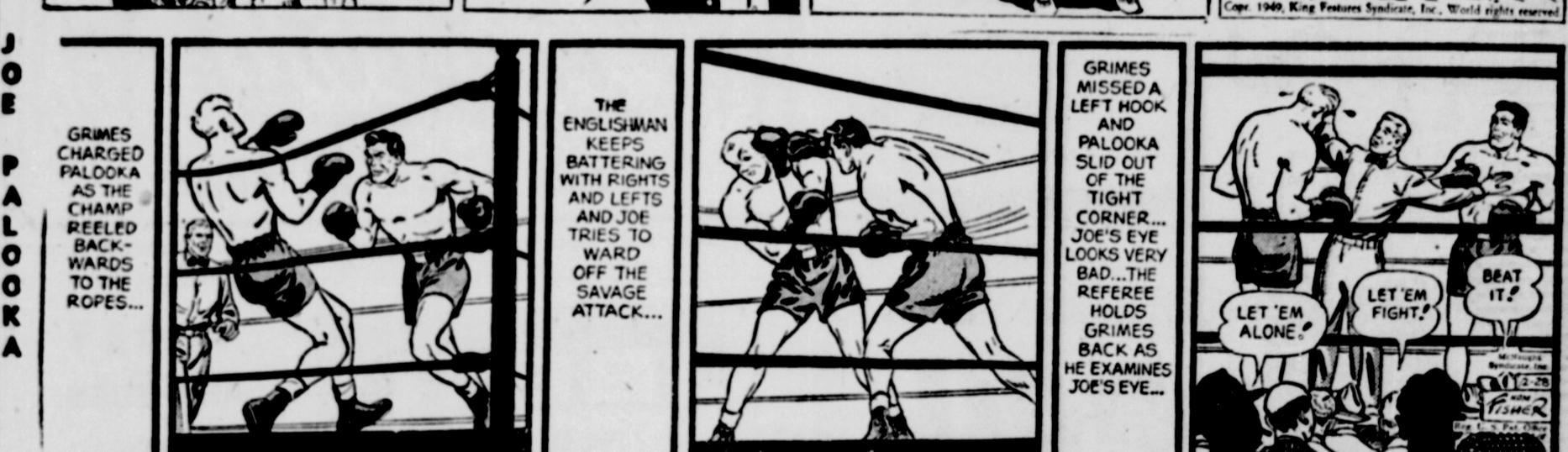
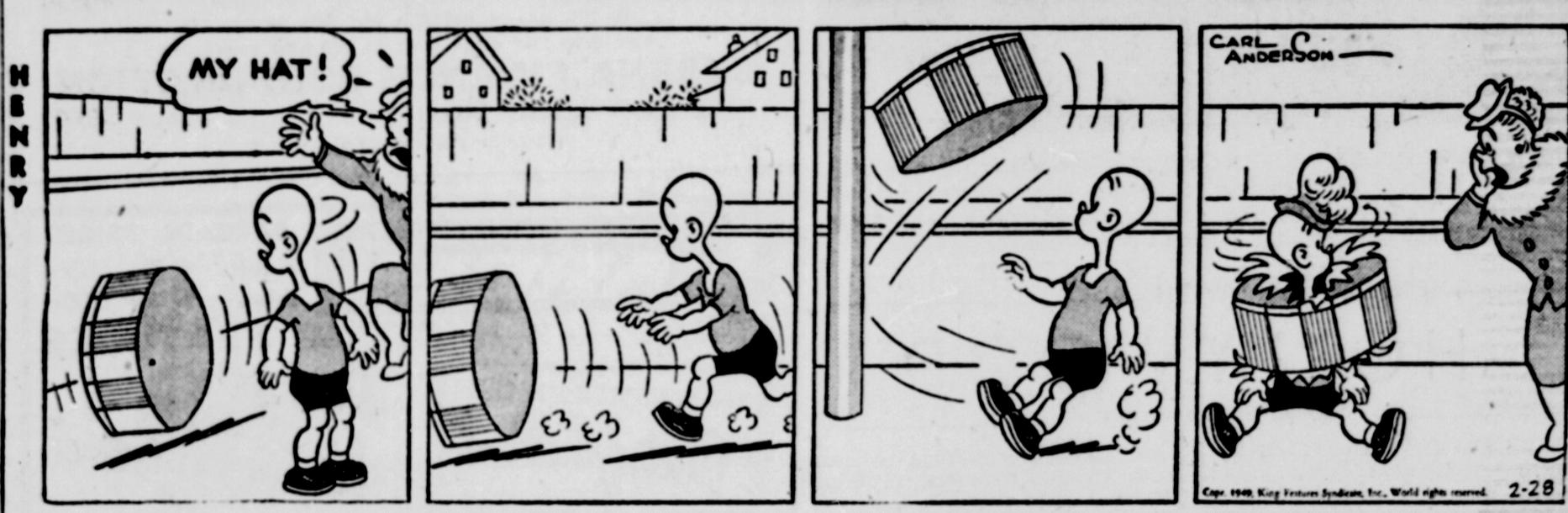
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Fannie Brice, who has 10 per cent of the "Emerald Staircase" show, which opened in New Haven, is already counting her money.

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Income Tax Primer
Blind Taxpayer Over Sixty-Five Gets Two Special Exemptions

By ALEXANDER R. GEORGE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 (AP)—Did

you reach your 65th birthday on or

before January 1, 1949?

If you did, you get a special \$600

exemption on your 1948 income tax

return. You are legally considered

to have attained age 65 in the

closing second of December 31,

1948. The taxpayer gets the same ad-

ditional exemption if his wife's 65th

birthday was on or before January 1,

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The taxpayer also gets a special \$600

exemption if he is blind on December 31, 1948. He gets an extra \$600

exemption if his wife was blind on

that date.

These special exemptions are in

addition to regular \$600 family

exemptions. That's an increase of

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tions allowed last year on tax re-

turns for 1947.

You get a regular exemption for

yourself, for your wife, and for

each of your dependent relatives.

Exemptions are subtracted from

your income and that helps reduce

the amount of your tax.

You get exemptions for your wife

as well as yourself, that is, if you

and she file a joint return.

If you file a separate return, you

may claim her exemption only if

she had no income and was not

claimed as a dependent on another

taxpayer's return for 1948. (Her

son or daughter may have claimed

her as a dependent. She can be

only one taxpayer's dependent.)

The additional exemptions for

age or blindness apply only to

the taxpayer and his wife, not to

dependents.

A dependent is someone who resides abroad but you may claim an alien father if he lives in the United States, Canada, or Mexico.

If you have a child who was born

on December 31, 1948, you can claim him as a dependent just the same as if he had received your support throughout the year. If a dependent relative died on January 1, 1948, you still may take him as an exemption.

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Woman's Body Found; Missing Since Dec. 16

Mrs. Murray Is Drowning Victim, Authorities Say

A two-and-a-half months search for Mrs. Marcella Murray, 26-year-old Corriganville mother, ended yesterday when her body was discovered in Potomac River, caught in a clump of brush off the Mexico Farms area shore.

Following an autopsy, Dr. H. V. Deming, deputy county medical examiner, said death resulted from drowning. He said further investigation will be made to determine if deaths were accidental or suicide.

First Sgt. W. E. O'Hara, Maryland State Police, said Woodrow Dolly and Walter Blass, both of the Mexico Farms area, discovered the body. The men, police said, were shooting mark when they saw the body caught on the brush in the river.

Mrs. Murray, who has been missing from her home since December 16 when she was last seen shortly before midnight, was positively identified by her father-in-law, Thomas Murray, who viewed the body at Memorial Hospital.

Wedding Band Identified

Sgt. O'Hara said a wedding band, engagement ring and wrist watch that were found on the body were identified by George Murray, husband of the victim. He last saw his wife at the Corriganville Firemen's Hall where he is employed. Previous investigation conducted by Maryland State Police and county authorities was able to trace footprints of the women to a Baltimore and Ohio Railroad bridge about 500 feet in back of her home. Police said last night they believed she leaped from the bridge at that point.

Dolly told police that he and Blass had used a boat to row from his farm out to a small island in the river yesterday where they were shooting mark. He said they were there for some time before they saw the body bobbing on top of the water.

Authorities said the distance by river from the bridge to the point where the body was found is approximately six miles. Heavy rains have swollen the river at the time, police said, and they believe the body washed down in a swift current.

Reported Missing December 17

Mrs. Murray was reported missing to police from December 17 after she failed to return home to care for her two small children. Several large searching parties combed the wooded area and followed Wills Creek to its junction with the river. They likewise checked much of the Potomac below Cumberland.

Investigating officers said Mrs. Murray visited the fire hall on December 16 and then returned home shortly before midnight. A coat, her hat and a purse, that she had at the fire hall were found at the home.

Police used these facts to support evidence that she returned home from the fire hall. The footprints discovered later led from the home to the bridge which crosses over Wills Creek, authorities said.

The search entered several phases with authorities notifying all known relatives of the woman believing she may have walked off from her home for a visit. Police and county officials also questioned several persons during the investigation.

Sgt. O'Hara said the water had receded to a point yesterday where only the woman's legs were in the water. He explained that it was impossible to see the body from land, and was visible only from the island.

State Police Investigator William Baker and Sgt. O'Hara removed the body from the river yesterday.

Among the survivors besides her husband and children are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fuller, and the following brothers and sisters:

Frank Fuller, William Fuller, Michael Fuller, Roy Fuller, Dale Fuller, Stella Fuller, Betty Fuller, Mrs. Alma Gomer, Mrs. Wilma Dehl and Mrs. Norma Watson, all of Salisbury.

The funeral service will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in the Corriganville Reformed Church, of which she was a member. Rev. John Bucher will officiate. Interment will be in the Meyersdale, Pa. Reformed Church cemetery.

Lions To Hear Kopp

Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of internal revenue, will place two additional clerks in the Allegany County Court House March 2 to assist persons in preparing their state income taxes. The extra workers, who will bring the staff to four, will continue to work there until after the deadline April 15.

Wave Of Dog Poisonings Strikes In Section Of South Cumberland

At least seven dogs have died of poisoning in the South Cedar Street area in the last five days. Dr. F. B. McCallum, city veterinarian, reported last night.

Dr. McCallum expressed concern that small children may become victims of the poison intended for the dogs. He explained there are indications that the poison may be one which can cause death from inhalation.

The poison has not been found yet, but Dr. McCallum asserted he suspects either strichine or antu, a rat poison, because of the symptoms of the dogs that died.

Both of these poisons are deadly to humans as well as to dogs. Dr. McCallum said, adding that while strichine must be taken internally to produce death, antu can kill through inhalation of a sufficient quantity.

Dr. McCallum asserted it would be possible for a child to inhale enough of the poison to cause death. A South End resident pointed out that there are at least 50 small



Bus Drivers To Act On Company Contract Offer

Proposal Lacks Union Sanction

Potomac Edison bus drivers and maintenance men were meeting early this morning to act on a company proposal for a new contract which Business Agent Lawrence L. Grim said lacked approval of the union's negotiating committee.

With rejection of the offer almost certain, Grim said a strike vote would be taken at the meeting that started at 2 a.m. An immediate stoppage is unlikely, however, since the present contract has been extended beyond Wednesday when another union-company meeting is scheduled.

Grim said the 86 drivers and maintenance men of Local 1110, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America, AFL, have already lowered their original demands from a 16 cent hourly wage hike to 11 cents, but the company proposal remains far below that figure.

The present contract expires at midnight tonight. Negotiations for a new pact have been underway since January 27. Four union-company sessions have been held during that period and union officials intimated last night that a wide breach remains in any possible agreement.

The contract-extension agreement was reached with 48 of the 51 county employees attending, according to Stutzman, who said: "They came and asked to be organized, and we organized them."

The contract demands will deal principally with working conditions and hours, according to the business agent. He said the county workers will likely ask for a 40-hour work week with time-and-a-half for all over that.

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Woman's Body Found; Missing Since Dec. 16

Mrs. Murray Is Drowning Victim, Authorities Say

A two-and-a-half months search for Mrs. Marcella Murray, 26-year-old Corriganville mother, ended yesterday when her body was discovered in Potomac River, caught in a clump of brush off the Mexico Farms area shore.

Following an autopsy, Dr. H. V. Deming, deputy county medical examiner, said death resulted from drowning. He said further investigation will be made to determine if death were accidental or suicide.

First Sgt. W. E. O'Hara, Maryland State Police, said Woodrow Dolly and Walter Blass, both of the Mexico Farms area, discovered the body. The men, police said, were shooting mark when they saw the body caught on the brush in the river.

Mrs. Murray, who has been missing from her home since December 16 when she was last seen shortly before midnight, was positively identified by her father-in-law, Thomas Murray, who viewed the body at Memorial Hospital.

Wedding Band Identified

Sgt. O'Hara said a wedding band, engagement ring and wrist watch that were found on the body were identified by George Murray, husband of the victim. He last saw his wife at the Corriganville Firemen's Hall where he is employed.

Previous investigation conducted by Maryland State Police and county authorities was able to trace footprints of the woman to a Baltimore and Ohio Railroad bridge about 300 feet in back of her home. Police said last night they believed she leaped from the bridge at that point.

Dolly told police that he and Blass had used a boat to row from his farm out to a small island in the river yesterday when they were shooting mark. He said they were there for some time before they saw the body bobbing on top of the water.

Authorities said the distance by river from the bridge to the point where the body was found is approximately six miles. Heavy rains have swollen the river at the time, police said, and they believe the body washed down in a swift current.

Reported Missing December 17

Mrs. Murray was reported missing to police on December 17 after she failed to return home to care for her two small children. Several large searching parties combed the wooded area and followed Wills Creek to its junction with the river. They likewise checked much of the Potomac below Cumberland.

Investigating officers said Mrs. Murray visited the fire hall on December 16 and then returned home shortly before midnight. A top coat, her hat and a purse, that she had at the fire hall were found at the home.

Police used these facts to support evidence that she returned home from the fire hall. The footprints discovered later led from the home to the bridge which crosses over Wills Creek, authorities said.

The search entered several phases with authorities notifying all known relatives of the woman believing she may have walked off from her home for a visit. Police and county officials also questioned several persons during the investigation.

Sgt. O'Hara said the water had receded to a point yesterday where only the woman's legs were in the water. He explained that it was impossible to see the body from land, and was visible only from the isle.

Dr. Deming said last night that he informed State's Attorney Morgan C. Harris that Mrs. Murray's body was found, but explained he will wait until after he talks with the husband before giving a verdict of accident or suicide.

State Police Investigator William Baker and Sgt. O'Hara removed the body from the river yesterday.

Among the survivors besides her husband and children are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fuller, and the following brothers and sisters:

Frank Fuller, William Fuller, Michael Fuller, Roy Fuller, Dale Fuller, Stella Fuller, Betty Fuller, Mrs. Alma Gomer, Mrs. Wilma Diehl and Mrs. Norma Watson, all of Salisbury.

The funeral service will be held Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in the Corriganville Reformed Church, of which she was a member. Rev. John Bucher will officiate. Interment will be in the Meyersdale, Pa. Reformed Church cemetery.

Lions To Hear Kopp

Charles L. Kopp, superintendent of schools, will address the Lions Club at their meeting Wednesday at 12:15 p.m. in Central YMCA. His subject will be "The School System in Allegany County and the Expansion Program."



MRS. MARCELLA MURRAY

Bus Drivers To Act On Company Contract Offer

Proposal Lacks Union Sanction

Potomac Edison bus drivers and maintenance men were meeting early this morning to act on a company proposal for a new contract which Business Agent Lawrence L. Grim said lacked approval of the union's negotiating committee.

With rejection of the offer almost certain, Grim said a strike vote would be taken at the meeting that started at 2 a.m. An immediate stoppage is unlikely, however, since the present contract has been extended beyond Wednesday when another union-company meeting is scheduled.

Grim said the 86 drivers and maintenance men of Local 1110, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America, AFL, have already lowered their original demands from a 16 cent hourly wage hike to 11 cents, but the company proposal remains far below that figure.

The present contract expires at midnight tonight. Negotiations for a new pact have been underway since January 27. Four union-company sessions have been held during that period and union officials intimated last night that a wide breach remains in any possible agreement.

The contract-extension agreement was reached at a meeting Saturday after the company inserted a retroactive clause in the pact that will make all terms of the new contract effective as of March 1.

Grim said Federal Conciliator James A. Holden and Deputy State Labor Commissioner Mrs. Robert B. Kimble attended the Saturday session and were instrumental in effecting the contract extension.

Mrs. Kimble expressed hope that the drivers would not stage a strike before the Wednesday meeting at least, according to Grim. He added that any stoppage of the city's only bus service would be preceded by "sufficient warning" to the general public.

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Contacted by telephone last night Charles L. Wilkinson, president of the board, and James Holmes, board member, said they knew nothing about the county employees organizing. Commissioner William Lemmett could not be contacted.

Stutzman said it is his understanding that the men will be accepted into the union office and asked to be accepted into the union. They will be taken into three AFL locals now in existence in the city.

The truck drivers will become members of the Teamsters Union, Stutzman said, while the equipment operators will likely be accepted into the engineers local of the building and construction union. Laborers will be accepted into the Laborers' union local.

Stutzman said the second meeting is set for 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The new members will complete their working condition and hourly demands and then will deal with wages, he said.

The union business agent said he has not discussed wages with the men yet since they were more concerned about present working conditions. Stutzman said he was informed that the county employees average between \$1 and \$1.25 an hour under present rates.

Swift Action Is Seen For Bill

State Senator Robert B. Kimble said last night the bill to set up a special taxing district in Cresaptown may reach the desk of Governor William Preston Lane, Jr., by the end of this week.

Kimble and Delegate Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., attended a public meeting in Cresaptown Saturday night, when residents voted almost unanimously against a referendum provision for the bill.

The measure, designed to raise funds to improve Cresaptown's water supply, is due to pass the House of Delegates early this week, Whitworth said.

The Allegany County Delegation reported it out favorably minus a referendum after previously including such an amendment.

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